

ACA High-Level Timeline

2013

Prior to October

- Extended Medicaid Drug Rebates to drugs paid by Medicaid Managed Care Organizations.
- Implemented several new program integrity and provider enrollment screening processes.
- Issued bulletin and began paying increased Medicaid primary care payments at 100 percent of the Medicare payment rate.
- Implemented a recovery audit contract to identify payment issues and to recoup overpayments.
- Implemented payment policies for hospitals that prohibited payment for a Health-Care Acquired Condition, such as infections acquired at the hospital.
- Fee-for-service increased PCP claim payments and retrospective PCP claim payments begin
- Medical assistance managed care plans begin increased PCP claim payments

2014

January

- Begin Exchange coverage

October

- Begin accepting enrollment applications for insurance in 2014
- Phone applications begin through the Consumer Services Center
- County Assistance Offices readiness for early enrollment
- Managed care retrospective PCP claim payments begin

2015

January

- Employer mandate begins